

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Christopherus Bader Confirmation No.:

Serial No. : 10/586,625 Filed : July 19, 2006

Filed : July 19, TC/A.U. :

Examiner

Docket No. : 06-429 Customer No. : 34704

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's continued duty of disclosure, the following documents are brought to the Examiner's attention:

(1) CH Patent No. 320373.

A listing on Form PTO-1449 is enclosed along with a copy of the document.

The undersigned submits the above-identified references for independent consideration by the Examiner and does not make any admission that these references are or are not material to the present invention or that these references are or are not prior art with respect to the present invention.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /A.A./

If any fees are required in connection with this case, it is respectfully requested that they be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-0184.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopherus Bader

Gregory P. LaPointe
Attorney for Applicant
Reg. No.: 28,395
Tel: (203) 777-6628

Tel: (203) 777-6628 Fax: (203) 865-0297

Date: February 9, 2007

I. Rachel Piscitelli, hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: **Mail pings for Payagray** & O. Box 1450. Alexandria, VA 22313 on February 9, 2007.

Ву

an ot pate: 02/13/2007

Substitute for form 1449/PTO

Sheet 1

FEB 1 3 2007

TOPE THATE

PTO/SR/084 (08-03) Approved for use through 07/31/2006, OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE a Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Complete if Known

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary) of 1

Application Number 10/586.625 Filing Date July 19, 2006 First Named Inventor Christopherus Bader Art Unit Examiner Name Attorney Docket Number 06-429

09/16/2008

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS Name of Patentee or Examiner Document Number Publication Date Pages, Columns, Lines, Where MM-DD-YYYY Applicant of Cited Document Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear Number-Kind Code² (# Incom) IIS. us. US-US-TIE US 211 US-US-US-US-

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS lame of Patentee or Examiner Foreign Patent Document Pages, Columns, Lines, Initials Date Applicant of Cited Document Where Relavant Passages MM-DD-YYYY Or Relevant Figures Appear Country Code³ "Number ⁴ "Kind Code⁵ (if known) A.A./ CH 320373 05-15-1957 Steinbrenner et al.

Considered Signature /Andre Allen/ EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and no "EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through cutsorf in foil conformance and not considered, include copy of this form with next communication to application." Applicants unsigned continue designation number (optional). "See first Scuees of applicants of the conformation designation number (optional)." See first Scuees of applicants or the conformation of the conformati

Translation is attached. This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time by require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Clinicar, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.